

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Harper et al  
Serial No. : 10/788,958 Examiner : Mehrmanesh, Elmira  
Filed : February 28, 2004 Group Art Unit : 2113  
For : AUTOMATIC CRASH RECOVERY IN COMPUTER OPERATING  
SYSTEMS

HON. COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in the above-identified application.

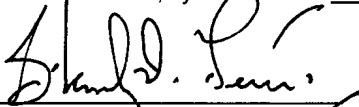
1.

Extension of  
Time

- ☒ No extension of time is needed.
- ☐ Applicant requests an extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action. A Petition for an extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ In the event that an extension of time is required, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

CERTIFICATE OF EFS-WEB FILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence and any documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being filed with the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, by EFS Web on December 18, 2007.

  
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December 18, 2007  
Date of Signature

2 **Submission Required Under 37 CFR 1.114**

- ☒ Previously submitted  
☒ Please enter the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on November 19, 2007.  
☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☐ Enclosed  
☐ Amendment/Reply  
☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)  
☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.

3. **Miscellaneous**

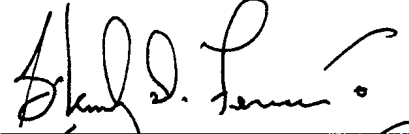
- ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months.  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.

4. **Fees**

- ☐ Applicant encloses herewith a check for \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the RCE fee.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$810 RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) to **Lenovo Corporation Deposit Account No. 50-3533**.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to **Lenovo Corporation Deposit Account No. 50-3533**.

Respectfully submitted,

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